Objections to Deodhar Committee's Report

965. SHRI KRISHNA KUMAR BIRLA : Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state .

(a) whether his Ministry have objected to high powered Deodhar Committee's report for privatisation of metro channels;

(b) if so, what are the main recommendations of the committee on which his Ministry has objections ;

(c) whether Deodhar Committer's report has been examined by Government; and

(d) if so, the reasons for not implementing the report into ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI K. P. SINGH DEO) : (a) The Air Time Committee of India has not submitted any report to the Government.

(b) to (d) Do not arise.

Extra publicity to companies sponsoring sports tournament

966. SHRI SURESH KALMADI : Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that Government proposes to review its policy on coverage of programmes sponsored by Companies and Doordarshan will give extra publicity to companies sponsoring sports tournaments; and

(b) if so, by when the proposal is likely to be implemented.

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI K. P. SINGH DEO) : (a) There is no such proposal at present.

(b) Does not arise.

Preparation of Original Script of News Bulletins in Hindi

967. SHRI T. A. MOHAMMED SAQHY :

SHRI V. GOPALSAMY :

Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased *to* state :

(a) whether it is a fact that Government have decided to prepare original script of News Bulletins for AIRlDoordarshan in Hindi and later translate them into English and other regional languages; and

(b) if so, details thereof ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI K. P. SINGH DEO) : (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

Increase in Entertainment Time on Metro Channel

368. SHRI P. UPENDRA :

SHRI SURESH KALMADI :

Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state :

(a) whether Doordarshan has decided to increase the entertainment time on the Metro Channel;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) what is the response from private producers for using the Metro Channel ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI K. P. SINGH DEO) : (a) and (b) In addition to the metro hour (8 p.m. to 9 p.m.) introduced from 26th January, 1993, another time chunk (9 p.m. to 10 p.m.) for es-

tertainment programmes is already in operation on the Metro Channel of Door-darshan from 1st April, 1993.

(c) The response has been very encouraging.

दूरदर्शन द्वारा निर्माताओं का चयन

969. श्री अजीत जोगी :

श्री मूल चन्द डागा : क्या सूचना और प्रसारण मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) दूरदर्शन द्वारा निर्माताओं के चयन के लिए क्या मापदण्ड अपनाए जाते हैं ;

(ख) क्या दिल्ली दूरदर्शन ने वर्ष 1989 में दूसरे चैनल के लिए कुछ धारावाहिक आमंत्रित किए थे ;

(ग) उस पर अब तक क्या कार्यवाही की गई है ;

(घ) क्या कुछ धारावाहिकों को बारी से पहले स्वीकृति दी दे गई है;

(ङ.) 31 जनवरी, 1991 की स्थिति के अनुसार, दिल्ली दूरदर्शन द्वारा प्रातः कालीन प्रसारण के लिए कुल कितने धारावाहिक आमंत्रित किए गए हैं ;

(च) कुल कितने धारावाहिकों को स्वीकृति दी जानी शेष है ; और

(छ) उनका शीर्षक-वार विवरण क्या है ?

सूचना और प्रसारण मंत्रालय के राज्य मंत्री (श्री के. पी. सिंह देव) : (क) कमीशन्ड कार्यक्रमों के निर्माण के लिए निर्माताओं के पैनल में निर्माताओं को शामिल करने के लिए दूरदर्शन द्वारा तैयार किए गए मानदंड संलग्न विवरण में दिए गए हैं । (नीचे देखिए) (ख) से (छ) सूचना एकत्र की जा रही है और सभा पटल पर रख दी जाएगी ।

विवरण

कमीशन्ड कार्यक्रमों के अन्तर्गत निदेशकों/निर्माताओं के पैनल में शामिल करने के लिए मापदण्ड

1. फिल्म और टेलीविजन के माध्यम से पूर्व अनुभव ।

2. भारतीय फिल्म और टेलीविजन संस्थान पुणे और फिल्म और टेलीविजन संस्थान, मद्रास से फिल्म निर्देशन में डिप्लोमा धारी ।

3. जामिया मिलिया के स्नातक और राष्ट्रीय नाट्य विद्यालय से डिप्लोमा धारी जिन्होंने स्नातक होने के पश्चात् फिल्म/टेलीविजन माध्यम से कुछ कार्य किया हो ।

Scheme to Stop Pro-Pakistan Propaganda in STAR T.V.

970, SHRI ANANT RAM JAE5WAI, :
SHRI SATYA PRAKASH MALAVIYA :

Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state :

(a) whether Government propose to s launch a scheme to stop pro-Pakistan broadcasting on Star TV and the scheme has been complete failure to achieve its target and the news appeared in Nav Bhar3t Times dated the 17th March, 1993;

(b) if so, the reaction of Government thereto; and

(c) what steps are taken proposed to be taken by Government to put complete stop *to* the pro-Pakistan broadcasting on Star TV and other medias ?

THE MINISTER OF-STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI K. P. SINGH DEO) : (a) to (c) ASIASAT-I satellite belongs to a Hong Kong bawd foreign company and as such the Government of India has no role ether in the natter of leasing of traaaponders on the satellite to any company country or in the cancellation of any such agreement. Nevertheless,